DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION A SENATE RESOLUTION honoring President Ma Ying-jeou for being elected as President of Taiwan and recognizing Taiwan's Democratic process. WATERMAN ______, read first time and referred to Committee on



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SENATE RESOLUTION

MADAM PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

A SENATE RESOLUTION honoring President Ma Ying-jeou for being elected as President of Taiwan and recognizing Taiwan's Democratic process.

Whereas, President Ma Ying-jeou secured another four year term in office during this year's election. Ma won the election with more than 6.8 million votes, about 800,000 more than his competitor, Tsai Ing-wen;

Whereas, The 2012 presidential and legislative elections included national debates of policies and followed just, open, and fair election procedures;

Whereas, The adherence of all election officials and workers to the principles of fairness and equality made it possible to smoothly complete election tasks;

Whereas, The people taking part as either candidates or voters fully demonstrated a high degree of democratic attainment. The 2012 presidential and legislative races were tightly contested affairs that reflect well on the development of democracy in Taiwan; and



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Whereas, The demonstration of fair and just procedures for the 2012 presidential and legislative elections has set a great example for elections in the future: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- 1 SECTION 1. The Indiana Senate honors President Ma Ying-jeou
- 2 for being elected as President of Taiwan and recognizes Taiwan's
- 3 Democratic process.
- 4 SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to
- 5 transmit a copy of this Resolution to President Ma Ying-jeou, Wu Den-
- 6 yih, and Mr. Baushaun Ger, Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in
- 7 Chicago.

